SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 639

By Powers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Joanna Ruth Jernigan, 2023 Valedictorian of Northwest High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Joanna Ruth Jernigan is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2023 graduating class at Northwest High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Jernigan has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Joanna Jernigan has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Jernigan's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Jernigan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Joanna Jernigan's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF

REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2023 Northwest

High School Valedictorian, Joanna Ruth Jernigan, on her impressive academic achievement

and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

- 2 - 007490